

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

R & B - Re-imposing of the condition of owning the Hot Mix Plant within 70 Km distance of the site of work in the qualification criteria for all the road works costing up to Rs.5.00 crores involving bituminous items of work- Orders - Issued.

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TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (R-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 179

Dated:06-02-2014.  
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.46, TR & B (R-I) Dept., Dt.17-1-2005.
2. Representation of Builders Association of India, dt.nil.
3. Memo. No.14378/R-1(2)/2013-1, Dt.7-12-2013.
2. From the E-in-C (R&B), State Roads, Hyderabad, Lr.No.9999/DEE-5 /AEE2/1999, Dt.24-1-2014.

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O R D E R:

In G.O.1<sup>st</sup> read above, Government have accorded permission to make the following changes in the bid documents:-

1. The ownership/lease of Hot Mix Plant, shall be deleted in the tender condition.
2. The contractor shall procure the hot mix material to the work site, duly maintaining the required laying temperature, as per the specifications.
2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Builders Association of India have requested the Government that the condition of "owning the Hot Mix Plant within 70 Km distance of the site of work" be made mandatory in tender schedules.
3. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Government have constituted a Committee comprising of the following Officers to examine the request of Builders Association of India:-
  - i. Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Admn., & State Roads
  - ii. Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Rural Roads
  - iii. Chief Engineer (R&B) Quality Control; and
  - iv. Chief Engineer (R&B) CRN & M.D., APRDC.
4. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the above said Committee has opined that the condition of owning the Hot Mix Plant within 70 Km distance of the site of work may be made compulsory for all road works involving bituminous items of work, irrespective of the cost of work, provided the completion period stipulated is up to one year, as the said condition would mitigate the delay on account of fresh procurement of Hot Mix Plant and help in quality insistence by the Officers supervising the execution of work.
5. In the aforesaid circumstances, and in view of the recommendation of the Committee, Government, after careful examination of the matter hereby re-impose the condition of owning the Hot Mix Plant within 70 Km distance of the site of work in the qualification criteria for all the road works costing upto Rs.5.00 crores involving bituminous items of work and for works costing more than 5.00 Crores, this condition should not be stipulated.

6. The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration & State Roads shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.SAM BOB  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Admn., & State Roads  
The Commissioner, Commissionerate of Tenders, BRKR Bhavan, Tank Bund.

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Engineer-in-Chief (R&B) Rural Roads.  
Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), National Highways.  
Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), RSW  
Chief Engineer (R&B) Quality Control; and  
Chief Engineer (R&B) CRN & M.D., APRDC.  
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Copy to P.S. to Prl. Secy., TR & B Department.  
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